### SOCIAL AND **PERSONAL**

The Modern Prayer.

Oh Lord, I come to thee in prayer once But pardon that I do not kneel before Thy gracious presence—for my knees are too much walking. In my chair

Mil sit at ease, and humbly bow my

I've labored in thy vineyard, thou dost know: sold ten tickets to the minstrel show. called on fifteen strangers in our

Their contributions to our church put live baked a pot of beans for Wednes-

day's tea"Old Time Supper" It is going to be,
dressed three dolls for our annual

and made a cake which we will raffle

Now, with thy boundless wisdom so sublime, Thou knowest that these duties all take

time.

I have no time to fight my spirit's foes.

I have no time to mend my husband's

clothes.

My children roam the streets from morn till night.

I have no time to teach them to do

right.
But thou, oh Lord, considering my cares,
Will count them righteousness, and heed
my prayers.

Bless the bean supper and the minstrel And put it in the hearts of all to go. Induce all visitors to patronize The men who in our programmes adver-

Because I've chased those merchants till Whene'er they saw me coming-yes, they

Increase the contributions to our fair, And bless the people who assemble there Bless thou the grab-bag and the gypsy

tent, The flower table and the cake that a r whist club be to thy service

blest.
The dancing party gayer than the rest.
And when thou hast bestowed these
blessings-then
We pray that thou wilt bless our souls.
Amen.

Caroline A Welker.

-Caroline A. Walker.

#### Miss Watt Here.

Miss Leila Watt, of Guelph, Ontario, who is at the 'head of the Mission to Lepers in Canada, is now in the city, stopping with Miss Spitzer, No. 115 East made a visit to Boston, where, in behalf of the Leper Mission, she delivered an address to an audience composed of four fundred ministers and a large number of the latty.

On Wednesday afternoon, May 9th, at

of the latty.

On Wednesday afternoon, May 9th, at 5 o'clock, Miss Watt will speak before the Richmond auxiliary to this mission at Grace Episcopal Church.

All persons interested in this cause are cordially invited to be present and hear Miss Watts' address.

### Maupin-Watts.

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A prominent Portsmouth wedding, in which Richmond friends were interested, was that of Miss Majorie Peters Watts, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Legh R. Watts, of Portsmouth, Va., to Mr. Edward Watts Maupin, Jr., son of Mr. El. NV. Maupin, of that city, the ceremony taking place in the home of the bride's parents, No. 202 Middle Street. The Rt. Rev. A. M. Randolph, of the Southern Diocese of Virginia, and the Rev. W. A. Brown, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, officiated.

The bride was attended by her four

Church, officiated.

The bride was attended by her four staters—Mrs. Goodrich Hatton, Miss Anne Maupin Watts, Miss Mattie Legh Watts and Miss Winffred Watts—also by the sister of the groom, Miss Ebbeline Maupin. House decorations, profuse and beautiful, were in paims, pink roses, pink honeysuckle and gladioli.

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The bride, who was given in marriage
y her father, wore white embroidered
histon, a tulle yell and carried a bouict of lilies of the valley and Bride

Mrs. Hatton, the matron of honor, was in white lace and carried La France; Miss Winifred Watts, the maid of honor, was similarly attired. The bridesmaids were dressed in white china silk and had clusters of pink sweet peas.

Mr. Samuel Watts was best man. A reception followed the ceremony. Then

reception followed the ceremony. Then Mr. and Mrs. Maupin left for a Northern

#### At Atlantic City.

Miss Ellen Glasgow accompanied by her sister, Miss Rebe, is spending the month of May at Atlantic City, a popu-lar resort with Southerners at this sea-

Miss Glasgow has taken a cottage in Miss Glasgow has taken a cotage in the Adirondock Mountains for the summer and will go there with Miss Rebe from Atlantic City. It is said that the celebrated Virginia authoress has already begun work on a new book and that she will continue it during the summer.

#### Guest of Mrs. Cabell.

Mrs. Klein, of San Francisco, California, whose husband has been engaged in jour-ralism there for a number of years, is the guest of Mrs. Robert G. Cabell, at

the guest of Mrs. Robert G. Cabell, at No. 1600 Grove Avenue. Mrs. Riein says that conditions in San Francisco, immediately after the earth-quake and fire and at the present time beggar descriptions being for more terribegger than any one can imagine from newspaper accounts. Mrs. Klein and Mr. Klein, like many others, surfered losses

#### Mrs. Smith's Assistants;

The following ladies will assist Mrs Thomas Smith at the candy and baske Thomas Smith at the candy and basket booth at Sacred Heart Fair:
Mrs. A. A. Hungerford, Mrs. T. R.
A. Burke, Mrs. Alvin Smith, Mrs. F. P.
Ryan, Mrs. George Lewson, Mrs. F. P.
Burke, Mrs. J. J. Redmond, Mrs. H.
Robinson, Mrs. Gillosby, Mrs. Resnick,
Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Frank Anthony,
Misses Annie Redmond, Agnes Shangnessy, Margaret Shangnessy, Mamie
Hughes, Mamie Hungerford, Silla Hungerford, Lillie Savage, Mamie Ryali,
Nanon Johnston, Ethel Burke, Mary
Kane, Blanche McIntyre, Marie Anderson, Miss Mellyn Murphy, Eliza Burke,
Gay Redmond.

Lloyd—Wait.

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Cards have been received for the wedding of Dr. John Janney Lloyd, Jr., and Miss Frances Wait, daughter of Kr. and Mrs Charles Edmund Wait, of Knoxville, Tenn
The wedding will be celebrated in St. John's Episcopal Church, Thursday evening, May 17th, at \$:80 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Arthur Lloyd, of New York, the father and uncle of the groom will officiate.

clate.
Dr. Lloyd formerly lived in Lynchburg, but has been recently located in charge of the medical department of a large lumber camp, at Marbury, Alabama.

Unveiling of Peterkin Tablet.

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Free Hospital, Tuesday, May 8th, at five o'clock in the afternoon.
This tablet is erected by the members of the Rebekah Peterkin Circle of the King's Daughters, of which Miss Peterkin was the first leader in 1888.
Rev. Wm. Meade Clarke and Dr. John N. Upshur will assist in the exercises, as will also Mrs. Clarence G. Burton, State secretary of the King's Daughters of Virginia. Mrs. M. W. Tatum is now leader of this circle with the following members. Mesers. C. M. Miller and William Rodgers, of McClung, Va., are in the city for an extended trip.

members: Mesdames E. H. Peterkin, John O. Taylor, Wm. H. Nolson, Thos. B. Floyd, Thos. Christian, Chas. G. Taylor, Stephen Severidge, H. Lee Lorraine, George T. King, J. B. Kidd, Chas. Mason; Misses Annie Ball, Lillian Taylor, Rena King and Annie Jacobs.

Friends of the institution are invited.

Descanal Mention.

Personal Mention. Miss Nellie Vaden visited Miss Eve Martin, of Tarboro, N. C., last week.

Mr. Harry Dalton recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Dalton, in Elackstone, Va.

Master Douglas MacGregor is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Henley and little

son have returned to their home in ton, after a trip to Richmond. home in Palmyra, Va., after a visit to Richmond. Mrs. William Scinter has returned to

Mrs. J. H. Kinnier, of Lynchburg, will arrive shortly to visit her sister, Mrs. R. B. Scott, in Fairmont.

Hanger.

Dr. and Mrs. A. LaF. Stratford, 315 East Main Street, have issued cards to a musicale Thursday, May 10th, in honor of their nieces, Misses Stratford and C'Neale.

Misses Annie and Kate Rosser, of Madison county, are in Richmond. Miss Annie will enter a hospital for treatment.

Miss Julia Dalby, of Jetersville, Va.

Mrs. William H. Rudd and Miss Lena Rudd, of Belona, Powhatan county, Va., spent several days in Richmond last week, attending the May Festival of the Wednesday Club.

Mrs. Mollie Binns, of Claremont, Va. was the guest of relatives in Richmond lest week.

Mrs. R. B. Gillespie, of Tazewell, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Sophie Cooper, of Franklin, Va., has come to Richmond to make her home with her brother, Mr. P. B. Cooper.

Mrs. A. S. Goode and children, of Han over county, have moved to Richmond to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barbee Betts, who were married in Mannboro, Va., on April 26th, have returned from their bridal tour, and are at home at No. 2710 East Grace Street. Mrs. Betts was Miss Frances Coleman Sydnor.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Black and son visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter in Louisa county this week.

has accepted a position in Richmond, and will make his home here.

Miss Josephine Wingfield, of Ashland is visiting friends here.

Mrs. A. F. Robertson has returned to her home in Staunton, after a visit to friends here.

Mrs. R. L. Barrett and Miss Kilburnie Barrett, of Louisa, Va., were in Rich-mond last week.

Miss Bettie Richardson, of Frederick's Hall, is the guest of friends here. Miss Frances Broaddus, of Caroline county, visited friends in Richmond recently.

Mrs. Arlie Crockell, of Missouri, accompanied by her daughter, who is a student at Mary Baldwin Seminary, Staunton, is in the city for a short time.

Mr. C. S. Wood, of Clarksville, Va., is

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson, who were married on April 25th, in Charleston, West Virginia, spent a part of their honeymoon in Richmond. Mrs. Nelson was Miss Mary Ellzabeth Robson. The young couple will live at Manassas, Va.

Mrs. Harry A. Black and Mrs. John T. Harman have returned to Staunton, after a trip to Richmond.

Mrs. C. Breckenridge, of Fincastle, Va., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Easley.

Mr. R. B. Lunsford, of this city, who has been visiting his sister. Mrs. H. W. Lloyd, in Fredericksburg, leayes to-dy for California, where he will act as inspector for a large fruit concern.

Miss Belle Page has returned to her home in Staunton, after a short visit to Richmond.

Dr. Edward McGuire and son, Hunter, are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Nancy McGuire, in Berryville, Va. Dr. W. N. Wayman has returned to Staunton, after a business trip here.

The Rebekah Peterkin Memorial tablet will be unveiled at the Sheltering Arms Mrs. Charles Curry, of Staunton, is in

the city. She will leave shortly for Petersburg.

Mrs. John T. Harman, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to Staunton.

Mrs. F. D. Leconey and Mrs. A. M. Leconey will leave to-day for Hotel Mons. Bedford county, Va., for the summer. Miss Arline Leconey, after spending several weeks in Washington, will join her mother at Hotel Mons.

#### FORK UNION ACADEMY.

Cadets Were Inspected Last Week By United States Officer

FORK UNION, VA., May 6.-Major John S. Mallory, of the United States army, and of the general staff at Washington, has been here making the annual inspection of the military condition of the academy. The cadet battalion, in charge of Captain E. T. Winston, was charge of Captain E. T. Winston, was out in its brightest array, and was subjected to a very sirict inspection, and bore itaely very handsomely.

During his stay at Fork Union Major Mallory, who, by the way, is a Virginian, was lunched by Captain Winston, but for the most of the time was a guest at Careby Hall. He is an elegant gentleman, alert and faithful in duty, but brimming with humor. He evinced a sympathetic interest in the cadets and the school.

at Dr. Hatcher's residence. The whole occasion will abound in interesting fea-

been adopted. It is to contain an auditorium, a dining room and a skating rink, while all of the reception rooms, study hall, offices, music rooms, library, reading room, etc., are to be located in this building.

this building.

The academy has no cotts, and proceeds cautiously in adding to its equipments. Already new students are enrolling for next session, and the friends of the school are full of hope.

#### REALTY SOLD WELL

Property Value in Bedford City

is Making Large Strides.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BEDFORD CITY, May 6.—The rendy
sale of the lots of the Burwell property
on Friday and the high prices realized
for them all are regarded as an index of
the great increase in the value of real the great increase in the value of real emate is Beford City. One of the lots, not desirably located, brought 1,450, The two properties, Avenet and Belmont, real-

Belmont Seminary, which was purchased by Mr. John D. Ballard for \$8,660, was later in the day sold by him to Messra, R. L. Billott and Walter Fitzpatrick later in the day sout by the control of the purchase price, who in turn sold the frame portion of the house, which was formerly the home of Dr. John W. Sale, and to which the large brick addition was added for the seminary, to Mr. S. M. Bolling, who will pay for the house, garden and front lawn \$3,500. Mr. Bolling will use it for his residence.

Messrs. Elliott and Fitzpatrick have not yet determined to what use they will the

#### MUST SERVE TERMS.

Negroes Arrested in Petersburg Sentenced in North Carolina.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., May 6.—Chief of Felice Ragland heard to-day from Sheriff N. C. Warren, of Nashville, North Carolina, that John Cooper and Ben Gatling, two negroes arrested here several months 5go, have been sentenced there to five years in the penitentiary for burglary. The men served terms in Jail here for carrying concealed weapons, and were recently taken to Nashville from this city.

#### THE NEGRO FARMERS.

Many Noted Agricultural Men Will Speak Wednesday.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETPERSBURG, VA., May 6.—A conference for colord farmers will be held next
Wednesday at the John A. Dix Industrial
School, near Dinwiddle Courthouse.
W. J. Spillman, or the United States
Department of Agriculture, will make an
address on the cultivation of peanuts,
corn, tobacco and cotton; A. H. McNell,
of the St. Paul Normal and Industrial
School, will speak on "Soil Improvement,"
and F. D. Busbee, of Hampton Normal
and Industrial Institute, on "Care and
Value of Farm Animals."

#### Injured By a Fall.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PALMYRA, VA., May 8.—On Saturday afteraoon Mrs. William Sciater, of Palmyra, the wife of the county clerk, fell on the street just outside the beautiful inwn to her residence, and broke the bone in her leg below the hip joint.

Mrs. Sciater is well known in Richmond and all over the State for her exceeding clearm of manner and her many accomplishments. Her friends will hear with regret of her painful accident.

Hear Annexation Case.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FRANKLIN, VA., May 6.—Hon. J. C.
Parker, attorney for town of Franklin,
has been officially notified by Governor
Claude A. Swanson that he has designated Judge E. W. Saunders, of Franklin county, to hold court at Courtland,
Southampton county, on the 25th of May
to hear motion for the annexation of
certain territory to the town of Franklin,

# A WELL-KNOWN MAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Drank Three Bottles of Poison Before Fact Was Discovered By Family.

(Special to The Times-Disparch.) SPENCER, N. C., May 6.-W. T. Brown aged about forty years, to-day attempted to end his life at his home here by the use of laudanum. He was found in an unconscious condition, and it was by the most heroic methods that the drug the most heroic methods that the drug was extracted from his stomach and antidotes administered. He as still in a precarious condition, with small chances for recovery. Three bottles of the poison had been swallowed before the fact was discovered by the family.

#### GLASS UNOPPOSED.

Less Than Half People of Lynchburg Have Right of Suffrage.

Cipcelal to The Times-Dispatch.

LYNCHBURG, VA., May 6.—When the books of City Treasurer Adams, closed last night for the payment of poli taxes as a pre-requisite to voting in the congressional election in November, less than half of the persons assessed with these lokes had qualified themselves. than half of the persons assessed with these takes had qualified themselves for the right of suffrage. The total assess-ment was 2,850 whites; 1,517 colored, and those who compiled with the law num-bered 2,657 whites, and 400 negroes. It is generally expected that Congressman Glass will be unopposed for re-election this year; hence the lack of interest in the matter.

Passenger Station Burned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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NCRFOLK, VA., May 6-The Norfolk and Southern Raliroad's freight depot and its contents and passenger station and a freight car standing on a siding near by, were completely destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The flames threatened many cottages, but the attaches of the Princess Anne Hotel and the occupants of the cottages turned out to fight and succeeded in holding out to fight and succeeded in holding

#### Annual Memorial.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LYNCHBURG, VA., May 6.—The Lynch-LYNCHBURG, VA., May 8.—The Lynch-burg Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, observed its annual memorial services this afternoon at the Hill City Hall, when ar, interesting programme was rendered. Mr. M. B. Hartman, one of the best known Eagles in Virginia, delivered an address on the principles of the order. The local Aerie had two deaths during the year, both of whom were well-known residents. There was a large crowd present at the memorial.

State Bank Organized.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., May 6.—The People's Bank, of Blackstone, a State bank, has been organized, with a paid-up capital of thirty-five thousand dollars. John S. Epes is president, and W. M. White is cashier.

School Examinations

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LAHORE, VA., May 6.—County Sperintendent of Schools E. W. Scott opened his examination yesterday with a large attendance. Mr. Scott is alive to the significance of his work, and if Virginia significance of his work, and if Virginia was full of such school officials as he is, a wonderful and upward stride in education would mark the coming sessions of the schools.

Build Marble Palace

(Special to The Times-Disputch.)
LAHORE, VA., May 6.-W. G. Newman the millionaire copper king, is planning the rebuilding of his marble palace on Mt. Athes, year Somerset. The new residence will surpass in grandeur the one destroyed by fire two years ago.

# USED THE MAILS TO CONDUCT FRAUD

Used Letterhead of Well-Known Business House to Order Goods.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., May 5.—J. Harman Robinette and his brother, Cleveland Robinette, of Blackwater, Lee county, have been arrested by Postoffice Inspector W. M. Calvert, of Roanoke, on the charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes. Their case will be called tomorrow in the United States District Court at Abingdon.

The crimes charged against the two brothers extend over several years, and they have succeeded in defrauding business houses out of many thousands of dollars' worth of goods, which they would dispose of at the lowest prices for cash. The men were printers, and are charged with preparing letter heads and envelopes representing various Southwest Virginia business houses, and on them ordering goods, sometimes amounting to several hundred dollars and referring the firms to the Dun and Radstreet commercial agencies for their rating.

Goods were always shipped by the unsuspecting parties, who were asked to extend oredit, and firms have been mulcted from Boston to St. Louis. It is well known that the postal authorities have a strong case, and these men will be prosecuted to the extent of the law,

# ) FINEST NEGRO CHURCH IN WORLD

Many Prominent White People Took Part in Dedication in Norfolk.

#### MAYOR MADE AN ADDRESS WHERE REAL BATTLES ARE

for Seats to Liquidate

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Bantist Church of Norfolk, for colored people, and perhaps the finest negro shurch in the world, was dedicated here this afternoon. Many prominent white people took part in the exercises, among hem being Mayor James G. Riddick, who made the introductory address; the Rev. Dr. Richard B. Garrett, pastor of the Dr. Righard B. Garrett, pastor of the Court Street Baptist Church, of Portsmouth, one of the most influential Baptist churches in the State, greached the sermon of the occasion, and Mr. H. K. Wolcott, a leader of the Norfolk bar. Many other white people were present for the exercises,

COST FIFTY THOUSAND.

The church cost upwards of \$50,000. It is of stone and brick, designed after the Court Street Baptist Church, of Portsmouth, which planted the first col-

It is of stone and brick, designed after the Court Street Bantist Church, of Portsmouth, which planted the first colored church here in the year 1800. It has a seating capacity of 2,500. Its congregation number 1,500. Most of the debt on the church has been paid, and to raise money to pay the unpaid part of it most of the members of the church, to the number perhaps of 1,200, paid five dollars each for their seats. The white people present were also liberal contributors to the church building fund.

Rev. R. H. Dorsling, D. D., a young, enlightened and progresslye man, is pasenlightened and progressive man, is pas tor of the church

#### MAYORALTY CANDIDATE.

Few Changes Will Be Made in Town Council of Franklin.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FRANKLIN, VA., May 6.—Mr. C. C.
Vaughan, Sr., president of Vaughan and
Company, bankers, of this place, announced himself as candidate for Mayor
of the town of Franklin on the 3d. He
will have no opposition. Mr. Vaughan is
pretty well acquainted with the duties
of Mayor in a number of instances when
Mr. Weskins, the present Mayor, was (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ing Mayor in a number of instances when Mr. Watkins, the present Mayor, was away. Dr. J. F. Bryant, the well known physician, of this place, will take Mr. Yaughan's place on the Council, if the latter is elected. No other changes on the present Council will be made at the coming election, to be held this fall. Mr. Yaughan has been president of the Council for some time, and has filled the place faithfully and given his unitring efforts in that direction. There is no one in Franklin better liked and honored than Mr. Yaughan. Mr. Yaughan is treasurer of the Homestead Fire Insurance Corporation, of this place, and holds other important positions as well.

Wired and Grounded Pain.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
POTTSTOWN, VA., May 6.—Borough
Electrician William H. Fillman Friday
evening tried one of the oddeat and most
original methods for severe pain in one
of his lower limbs that local medical
practitioners ever heard of. of his lower mass that four measurements over heard of.

He rigged up a peculiar apparatus, and, attaching a copper wire to the great to on the foot of the afflicted leg, ran it out of his bedroom window and imbedded

it in the ground.

He then crawled back to bed, and in a short time, he says, the pain disap peared, and he has not felt it since.

Blue Law Enforced.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., May 6.—The blue law decree of Mayor Reed, of Portsmouth, forbidding the sale of soda water, lee cream, cigars, cigarettes, etc., on the Sabbath, was rigidly enforced to-day, and Portsmouth was a dry town indeed. While there was much disastisfaction expressed with the new order of things, there was not a report made of a violation of the Mayor's orders. The drug stores did not close up, as they threatened to do, in retaliation.

# GIRLS KIDNAPPED

Class Fighting Among Wellesley Students Has Reached Serious Stage.

(Special to The Tiraes-Dispatch.)
WELLIDSLIFY, MASS., May 8.—Class fighting between the Junior and Sophomore classes of Wellestey reached a climax Friday when five juniors were kidnapped and carried two miles from the college, where they were tied to trees, one girl fainted from fright and had to be sent back to her reom.

college, where they were took to tees cone girl fainted from fright and had to be sent back to her room.

The captives were forced to remain in their undignified positions against the trees for three hours and listen to jeers and taunts against the class to which they belonged.

The class scrapping among the girls this year has reached such a stage that the college authorities are contemplating a plan for stopping it altogether. Heretofore the annual scramble has never lasted longer than one day and the tussles were in the best of humor. The trouble at present is said to be gotting serious, and members of the older classes say the clashes have passed those bounds which mark the limit beyond which merk the limit beyond which no refined college sirl can go in class fighting.

Dr. Woolfolk Improving.

(Special to The Times-Dispaten.)
LAHORE, VA., May B.-Dr. E. Woolfolk, one of the most prominent physicians and farmers of Orange county, has steadily improved since his return from a specialist in Washington last week. Dr. Woolfolk is, and has long been chaffman of the Democratic party in issecurity. county.
Miss Nannie Morton, of Richmond, the guest at her father's, here.

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Yield Will Be Large.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LAHORE, VA., May 8.—Wheat in this section is fine and now promises the heaviest yield in twenty years. Corn planting is nearly flone. On account of late season, not so large /a crop as usual has been planted.

The chicken industry is engaging marked attention here, and, from all reports, it is profitable.

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# WOULD UNHORSE THE TWO SLEMPS

Democrats to Put Up a Great Fight in the Ninth, Whichever Shall Run.

Members Paid Five Dollars Each Republicans to Make Their Biggest Fight in Fifth and Ninth Districts.

> Colonel Campbell Slemp from Congress and the substitution of his son, Mr. C. Bascom Slemp, as the candidate of his party in the Ninth District, has caused a good deal of comment in political circles here, both among Democrats and Republicans. The Slemps are regarded as the most powerful factors in the Republican party in Virginia. The elder one has been in Congress for several erms, and has changed the conditions of the party all over the State. His son is chairman of the State Republican Committee and is regarded as one of the shrewdest political organizers in Virginia, The two together have "unhorsed" nearly all the old leaders, and through

their joint influence with the adminis-tration at Washington, have put new men in the best Federal offices in the State. The Democrats are going to put up a powerful fight to capture the congress-man from the Ninth District this fall, though they are not yet together upon a candidate.

Mr. Stuart Won't Run.

Corporation Commissioner Henry C. Stuart can have the honor if he will, but it is understood that he will not. Mr. Stuart is interested in finishing up certain important work on the commission, and will, according to his present inclinations, sorre out his terms. nations, serve out his term. Hon. R. Tate Irvine, of Wise, and Sena tor Peyton F. St. Clair, of Giles, are men

tioned, as are also former Congressman Wm. F. Rhea, of Bristol, former Scaator R. P. Bruee and General Rufus A. Ayers, of Wise, but there are understood to be nc avowed candidates.

There is a fight on in the Fifth, which is Governor Swanson's old district.
Circuit Judge E. W. Saunders, of Franklin, will be named by the Democrats,
and the Republicans are talking of former Congressman John R. Brown, of

Chatham.

The district is considered as rather close, but Governor Swanson carried it always for Congress, when he was the

#### Flood Will Win.

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There is talk of party opposition to the Democratic candidate, Mr. Flood, up in the Tenth, but it is not expected to amount to a great deal, as under new conditions the district is considered safely Democratic. In the other seven districts, the Democrats have all the advantage. Mr. Jones has a little fight on his hands for the nomination down in the First. His friends say he will win cut, and that he will probably have no Republican opposition.

Messrs. Lamb, Gluss, Hay and Rixey are all right, and have nothing to fear this time, either in or out of their party. Representative Southall has a sharp contest of his hands, his ohler opponent for the nomination being former Congressman Francis Rives Lassiter. Congressman Haynard will probably be returned from the Second District this fall without serious opposition.

#### Fell From His Wagon.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LAHORE, VA. May 6.—F. M. Kendall, a prominent farmer near here, fell from his wagon yesterday, and has not regained |consciousness, As he is over seventy-five years of age, his many friends feel uneasy about him.

AMUSEMENT.

BLIOU ALL WEEK CHAS. T. ALDRICH Secret Service Sam.

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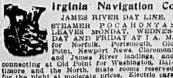
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A. P. V. A. **EXCURSION TO JAMESTOWN** AND BRANDON. Steamer Pocahontas, May 12, 1906. Refreshments on board.

TICKETS \$1.00. For sale at Briggs's Pharmacy, Howitzer Pince; the Rosemary Library, the Vir-ginia Historical Society and Thaw & Orant, Eleventh and Main Streets.

Leave Wharf at 8 A. M. sharp,

RAILROADS.



R.F.&P. Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac R. R.

Trains Leave Richmond-Northward, 4:25 A. M.—Dally-Byd St. Through, 6:20 A. M.—Dally-Main St. Through, 7:15 A. M.—Week Days-Elba, Ashiand Accommodation,

8:40 A. M.-Dally-Byrd St. Through. Local

stops.

12:05 noon-Week Days-Hyrd St. Through.

4:00 P. M.-Week Days-Hyrd St. Fredericas-burg Accommodation.

5:05 P. M.-Daily. Main St. Through.

6:20 P. M.-Week Days-Eiha. Ashland Ac-

8:20 P. M.-Daily-Byrd St. Through.

Trains Arrive Richmond-Southward. 6:40 A. M.—Week Days—Elba, Ashland Accommodation.

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8:20 A. M.—Week Days—Byrd St. Frederickaburg Accommodation.

8:33 A. M.—Dally—Byrd St. Through.

11:50 A. M.—Week Days—Byrd St. Through.

2:14 P. M.—Dally—Main St. Through.

8:43 P. M.—Week Days—Biba. Ashiand Accommodation.

7:15 P. M.—Dally—Byrd St. Through.

9:00 P. M.—Dally—Byrd St. Through. Local stops.

9:18 A. M.—No. 15—Prom Baltimers and Point.
Point.
10:15 A. M., No. 9, 8:15 P. M., No. 13—Prom West Point and Local Stations.
No. 15 and No. 16 stop Quinton, Tunstalls.
White House and Lester Manor.
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7:50 a. m. and 5:15 p. m. week days. Newport News, Norfolk and Old Point, 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. daily. Local for Newport News and Old Point,

# N&W Norfolk & Western

ONLY ALL-RAIL LINE TO NORFOLK. Leave Byrd-St. Station, Richmond, Daily, In Effect Jan. 24th, 1908. FOR NORFOLK: \*9:00 A. M., \*3:00 P.

M. 7:25 P. M. FOR LYNCHBURG, the WEST and FOR LYNCHBURG, the WEST and the SOUTHWEST: 9:05 A. M., 12:10 Noon, \$.00 P. M. Pullman Parlor and Sleeping cars. Cafe Dining cars. Trains arrive daily from Norfolk \*11:40 \*6:50 P. M., 9:20 P. M., 9:2

ATLANTIC COAST LINE DEFECTIVE APRIL STH.
Trains leave Richmond daily:
For Florida and South, 8:06 A. M., 7:25 P. M.
For Norfolk, B:09 A. M., 3:09 P. M. and
105 P. M.
For N. and W. Ry. West, 12:10 and 9:09

Southbount Trains Leave Richmond Dally.

3:40 A.M.—Norlina and intermediate statements. Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham,

Memphis and Southwest.

3:20 P.M.—Savannah, Jacksonville and Florida points.

11:00 P.M.—To Savannah, Jacksonville, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Southwest.

Richmond and Petersburg Electric Railway. Care leave corner or seventh and Petre Streets, Manoberter, every hour (on the hours from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. Last car 12 mentions (in the hours from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. Last car 12 mentions (Care leave Petersburg foot of Sycanore Street, every hour for 1.55 A. M. to 10.55 P. M. Last car 11:40 P. Limited car 7:15 A. M. daily, except Sycanore Street, every hour for 1.55 A. M. to 10.55 P. M. Last car 11:40 P. Limited car 7:15 A. A. Care Street Stre

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SCHEDULE IN EFFECT, APRIL 2, 1906.

TRAINS LEAVE RICHMOND.

1:00 A. M.—Daily—Local for Charlotte, N. C.

12:50 P. M.—Daily—Local for Charlotte, N. C.

10:50 P. M.—Except Sunday—No. 16—Baltimore

Limited.

1:50 P. M.—Except Sunday—No. 16—Baltimore

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1:50 P. M.—Except Sunday—No. 16—Local to

1:50 Vest Point.

1:50 P. M.—Except Sunday—No. 74—Local to

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1:50 M.—From Charlotte Richmond.

1:50 M.—From Charlotte Richmond.

1:51 A. M.—From Charlotte Richmond.

1:52 A. M.—From Baltimore and West

Point.

10:53 A. M.—No. 15—From Baltimore and West

Point.

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incinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chi-2:00 p.m. and 11:00 p. m. daily. Westbound Local Trainer

10:20 a. m. daily: 6:15 p. m. week

P. M. For Petersburg, 9:00 A. M., 12:10, 3:00, 5:45, 9:00 and 11:50 P. M. For Clotdsboro and Favetteville, \*3:58 P. M. Trains arrive Richmond daily: 4:17, \*8:33, \*9:10:45 and 1::40 A. M.; \*1:00, 2:05, 8:50, 8:50 and 9:30 P. M. \*Burday only. \*Except Sunday, \*8bunday only. Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed. C. S. CAMPBELL, D. P. A. C. S. CAMPBELL, D. P. A.

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Leave Richmond every evening (foof Arth Efrect) at 17 P. Atopping at two News on route. Fare, 52 to one way, 44,60 round trip, including stateroom berth; meals, 100, each, livest Cars to Steamer's Whart.

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